

**Minutes
Public Hearing
of the
Louisville Metro Air Pollution Control Board
February 18, 2015**

A public hearing of the Louisville Metro Air Pollution Control Board was called to order on February 18, 2015 at 10:00 a.m. in the Board Room of the Louisville Metro Air Pollution Control District, 850 Barret Avenue, Louisville, Kentucky by the Chairman, Dr. Robert Powell.

General Statement, Rules and Purpose

The Chairman read the opening announcements, rules and purpose of the public hearing, which was to review the Agreed Board Order with Phil Wells (Citizen).

1. Agreed Board Order with Phil Wells, Citizen

Terri Phelps, Enforcement Supervisor, asked the Board to consider and adopt a proposed Agreed Board Order that alleged that Phil Wells, Citizen, violated District Regulation 5.04 (Adoption of Federal Emission Standard for Asbestos) at a facility located on Lexington Road in Jefferson County, Kentucky. In August 2012, Mr. Wells requested the approval of the District that is required to obtain a wrecking permit for his building on Lexington Road. The building was in the process of being demolished when Mr. Wells says he became aware of the need to have a wrecking permit. While he was unable to demonstrate that there was no asbestos in the part of the building that had already been demolished and disposed of, Mr. Wells contracted to have what remained of the structure tested for asbestos. No asbestos was found, and the District approved the issuance of the wrecking permit.

For Mr. Wells' failure to thoroughly inspect the building for asbestos before demolishing it, the District has assessed, and Mr. Wells has agreed to, an administrative penalty of \$6,500.

Statements

No statements were made.

Adjourn

The public hearing adjourned at 10:04 a.m.

Robert Powell, M.D.
Chairman

Rachael Hamilton
Secretary-Treasurer